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●Summary

Kennel's daily routine is to be treated as a princess by her childhood friend Ribu. But one evening, the demon Rose escapes to the human world and possesses Ribu! He transforms into the egotistic demon and causes trouble not only for Kennel! Also featuring three other one-shots. ★

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AERANDRIA

THE FIRST SHALL BE FIRST SHALL PRODUCE A SECOND

Akuma no Puzzle Chapter 01

Lacaille :SCANNER

Mari :TRANSLATOR

Lacaille :PROOFREADER

Mys :EDITORS

Lacaille :QUALITY CHECK

I still think that other demon notes a true love confession to Rose.. BTW, I think it is neat as RO-SE..

- Lacaille

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贖罪のロマンチック!

ドリーム★

新作
カラー
50p

背徳の

優しい罠に

堕ちていく……

悪魔

萩尾 彬

NEWS!!

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PLEASE,
COME
BACK.

OLD
BROTHER.

I'M
TAUT
GAGE

YOU WANT
ME TO GO
BACK AND
JOIN TO THE
DEMON
KNIGHT?

TO
PURSUE
DE.

GOODBYE.

ROSE.

"THE
SEARCH
CRYSTAL."

IT CRYSTAL-
LIZES THE
MAGICAL
POWERS OF
ANYONE IT
SEES.

WAIT
A...

YOU, WHOSE
DID YOU GET
FROM A DAN-
GEROUS-

DON'T WORRY.
EVERY LAST BIT
OF YOUR POWER
WILL SAFELY
COME TO ME.

LET US
HAVE
YOU DIE.



AH!

FALLING
STARS!

If you only had one wish, what would you wish for?

SOMEONE
PLEASE DO
SOMETHING
ABOUT THE
RESULTS OF
MY TEST!

I DON'T CARE
IF IT'S GOD,
BUDDHA, OR
THE DEVIL.
BUT...



*I am Ogata
Kazuo and
this is Kous-
suna Kellie*



YOU
JUST
DON'T
THINK
ENOUGH

YOU
AREN'T
AN IDIOT,
KAZUO

HOW CAN I
BE SUCH AN
IDIOT?

That's all
I wanted to
say

*We are child-
hood friends and
live on neighbor-
ing floors of the
same mansion.
But...*

BANG

SOMEWAY,
HERE





I WAS
LOOKING?

...AT YOU,
KAWAII

but longer
to talk
about I'm
going

Don't...



Oh...

AWWW,
WHEN
WERE YOU
LOOKING
AT IT?

BIT BAIT?



Am I
really in
Fellin's
heart..?

NOT
REALLY



I'm always
the one get-
ting worked
up.



Don't say such
foolish like "I only
have eyes for you"
with such a
straight face,!

DON'T YOU
HAVE ANY-
THING TO
SAY FOR
YOUR BITBIT?

Love
always



BECAUSE MY
GREATEST
WISH...

...HIS IS
READY
COME TRUE!

HA...







EVEN THAT
WENT AWAY?



INTENSE??

OH, NO.
YOU MIGHT
BE
JOKING...



HA...



HA?

WHAT IF I
HAD DIED?



AL THOUGH...

DYING IN
THE ARMS
OF A
WOMAN IS
NOT SO
BAD.



*That
will...*

*...the be-
ginning of
the night-
mare.*

EH...?

KANNA...

KYAAAA,
RITSU!

*What
was that
just now??*

HOLD
ON...

HOLD
ON...



To all new and old readers, hello I'm
Hugo Akira.

And this is my
FIRST ONE-SHOT
COLLECTION.

I tried to collect my
more recent one-
shots for it, but it
turned out to be a
collection of dark-
haired men.

They might all look
like the same person
to you but they are
different characters.
And now please, enjoy
this until the end.



WAKE
UP.

OPEN
YOUR
EYES.

What?

Shining...

...And
me..!

Or maybe it
was the end
of the dream.

KANNA.



ACCORDING

SCORED
THIS
ACCORDING

BEHOLD
THESE
MAY
ACCORDING

roll
roll

Things were
- Scored a point & blue-
berry pie
- First trial with
- First victory
- First, repeated
- First trial

BEHOLD
THESE
MAY
ACCORDING

BEHOLD
THESE
MAY
ACCORDING

I COME
FOR YOU

BEHOLD
THESE
MAY
ACCORDING

I COME
FOR YOU

BEHOLD
THESE
MAY
ACCORDING

BEHOLD
THESE
MAY
ACCORDING



"Wanna be Friends?"

I was working on a series of the book I drew this and I had not done a one-shot in a long time so I really suffered with the page design.

I've never been so horribly late for my deadlines and never motivated so much help from so many people as I did for this one-shot. (Maybe that's why you get so much background noise in this one.) In a sense, it's a work full of memories for me.

I liked this title very much, so I made it the title of the collection, too. It was fun working with those two after such a long time.



KYAH!
I'M
LATE!

HEY
BAST!

HERE...

HEY GUY!
FORM!



IT HAD
BEEN
EVERY
TIME.

BUT IF
HAROLD AND
PERRI ARE IF
I'M COME
END OF
PROMISE.

It's so
I'm
still in a
dream...



HERE...

BOW

I'LL BE
RIGHT DOWN
AFTER I
CANNOT, SO
DO WAIT IN
THE LIVING-
ROOM.









I'M A
DEMON.

Someone tell me this is a dream.

Shinnosuke
A high-ranking demon
inside Mitsuba.

The High Ranking Demon

SO WHY NO SUCH A
HIGH RANKING
DEMON INSIDE
MITSUBA?

HEL... BY
CHANCE?

JUST
WANT IT

JUST LET ME TELL
YOU THAT I'M A
HIGH RANKING
DEMON WHO
WOULD NORMALLY
NEVER LET SOME
LOWLY HUMAN
EVEN SPEAK
TO ME.



www.mangadex.org. That's why I got lost and I'm just trying to find my way back.





Ritsu always kept his part of the contract he made with Kana, but what a good job he did of remembering what happened before! CEF it were me, I'd definitely forget it.

My childhood memories are rather vague. I remember playing games at kindergarten but I can't remember whether the fun was for the sake of any of my friends back then, however.

It's not that I've forgotten them, it's all of I've never remembered them. When I was in the second grade, I took the philosophical view that "after all, even teachers are just humans." *Wagashi* before that "I don't remember anything, as if I've lived without any consciousness at all."

*Unless I do some-
thing, Feltre
will be
branded "a
person"...*

5/9th

KURO-
SAWA-
KURUMI









DISLOCKING A SHOULDER OVER SUCH A SMALL TARGET - THE HUMAN BODY IS SO APPROVED.

WHAT WERE YOU THINKING??

THAT WASN'T NEARLY POSSIBLE!

IF YOU THINK YOU HURRY UP AND GET OUT OF RITSUO'S BODY!

Heh.



YOU CAN'T BE SUCH A GREAT DESIGNER IF YOU CLAIM IF YOU CAN'T THROW ONE BALL RIGHT.

AND SPEAKING OF WHICH,

KYAA!
KYAA!

AGOSHOMMA RITSUO!

PLEASE!
ENTER THE
BASEBALL
TEAM!

SLAM

Noogie



I SEE

I MIGHT THINK ABOUT IT



ANYTHING

WE'LL DO ANYTHING YOU WANT IF YOU ENTER THE CLUB!

WE NEED YOUR BODIES-VERY



MY POLICY IS TO MAKE CONTRACTS WITH WOMEN ONLY

shove



FLE-



Ah...

YOU MUST KNEEL AND KISS MY SHOES FIRST!

Demon!





WOULD
YOU LIKE
TO GIVE IT
A TRY?

*That's
why:*

*B. But
this is an
emergency
situation!*

Uhh...

*What
am I
thinking?!*

THE
KISS.



*It doesn't
matter.*

*To
break*

YOU CAN
CHASE ME
OUT OF HER
BODY.

IF YOU
DO IT
WELL,

WHAT ARE
YOU
SAYING—

YOU HAVE
NOTHING
TO LOSE

WELL...



NO.

BECAUSE...

...I'M NO
PRINCESS.



IT WOULD BE
WORTH TO DO IT
EVEN MORE...



*I know it,
but...*

WHEN YOU
SAY "NOT"...



DON'T USE
RYOMA'S FACE
TO SAY SUCH
WORTHY THINGS!

BY THE WAY, IF
YOU ARE SCARED
AND HESITANT IN
ANSWERING, IT EX-
ACTLY ME
EVEN MORE

WHAT
ARE YOU
TALKING
ABOUT—

*Are you a little
bit nervous?*



NOT DOING IT
IS NOT THE
SAME AS NOT
WANTING TO
DO IT.

AND
ALSO...

DOING SOME-
THING DOESN'T
MEAN HE
WANTS TO DO
IT

ALL, WHAT
IF RYOMA
WAS
DOING
THIS KIND
OF STUFF
AND THAT
KIND OF
STUFF TO
ME

ASSAULT
YOU!

EVEN IF
YOU SAY
THAT
YOU'RE SO
SCARED
THINKING...

RYOMA
WOULD
NEVER DO
THAT!

Copycat!





*He just
would not
touch me.*

*Sherry's
History*

DON'T
TOUCH
ME

PLEASE...

Because

I KNEW
IT.

I CAN'T
MAKE IT
COME
TRUE...

*Ritter never
touches me.*



ARE YOU
HERE?!

SLAY



WHO ARE
YOU?!

EH?



LOOKS LIKE
HE DID.

HE IS
GONE.



EH?







I WAS TRYING
TO GO TO
RYUGU BY
HANGING OFF THE
BALCONY.

KANNA!

IT WAS A
MIRACLE...

...THAT I
DON'T
DIE.

Editor's Note:
I'm almost
certain that
Kanna is
alive.

*All the
characters
in the
series
are
alive.*



GOOD

SURE!
ADVANCE

I WILL REAR
YOUR FISH
COME TRUE!

A PERSON
WOULD NOT
MISS SUCH AN
OPPORTUNITY
FOR A "CON-
TRACT."

IN RETURN, I
WANT YOUR—

IN SUCH
CIRCUM-
STANCES,
ANY WISH
CAN BE
GRANTED.

IF ONLY
HE PAID
A SUITABLE
PRICE

YOU
KNOW THAT
VERY
WELL.

"DON'T YOU
HAVE ANY-
THING TO
WISH FOR,
FOO, EITHER?"

"NOT
REALLY."

"BECAUSE MY
WISHES
WAS/WERE
ALREADY
COME TRUE."

STOP



KIDDING
ME!

HE SAVED
ME ON HIS
OWN WARD!

HE BECAME A
SACRIFICE ON
HIS OWN WARD!

SLAM



I NEVER
ASKED FOR
ANY OF
THAT.

I JUST...



YOU
JUST...

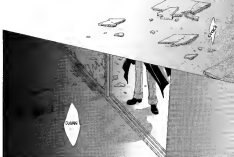
*I always
took advantage
of Feltre's
feelings of
guilt.*



I just...

*...and it has
granted
that Feltre
would
always be
there.*







DOING SUCH
THINGS WITH-
OUT A CON-
TRACT WILL
JUST LEAVE
TO SHATTER
YOUR LIFE.

HA..IT

WHAT A
PERSI-
STENT GUY.

I
THOUGHT I
TOLD YOU.

NO?
FRODO?

LOVE
CONFESSION
...?

HA...

I WILL KISS
EVERY LAST
BIT OF YOU
MINE.

WELL, HE'S
ALWAYS
BEEN HELD
OVER MEALS
FOR ME.

☆

BUT JUST
ONE THING
BEFORE
THAT.

I... BUT

I WILL
KISS
YOUR
WHOLE
BODY.

ER...!

ROAR

SPARK

THAT'S WHY
YOU CALLED
FOR ME THAT
NIGHT, RIGHT

BY DREAM-
PEAR YOU
MEAN !!

WHEN THE
MUSIC IS
GONE, THE
DEMON WILL
DISAPPEAR

THERE
ALST BE A
PRICE FOR
MAKING A
WISH COME
TRUE

IT'S ENOUGH
OF A PRICE.

WHAT A
WASTE —

IT WASNT
TOO BAD
BUT A
HUMAN FOR
A WHILE.

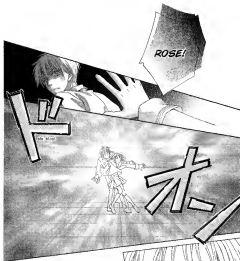
WELL, AT
LEAST I'VE
HAD MY
FUN...

END !!

THIS
TIME,

WE
FINISH IT.





*That
time.*

*the light was
coming
straight at me.*

Ah—

I see.

*It was one
who called
Kanna.*

*I was
swayed even
by his smile.
His heart,
his body—*

*I wanted to
make every
last bit of
Kanna mine.*

*No matter
what I
had to lose.*

*No matter
what debts
were owed, I had
to sleep to*

Even if,

KANNA!



*There must
be a price for
making a
wish come
true.*



UNTIL THE
VERY END

*I had to
sell my soul
to a demon.*

*The hand
down is
gone.*

KARLA
?

*You change
that price into
power yourself*

*She
sings
about
the
world.*

WHY...

WHY DO
YOU...

NEVER
TOUCH
ME... *

Yes.

*It's
true.*



RIGHT?

IS THIS
ABOUT
THAT ACCI-
DENT?

THAT... I FEEL
ON MY OWN,
YOU HAD
NOTHING TO DO
WITH IT. RIGHT?

THAT
TIME.

I MADE A
CONTRACT
WITH ROSE.



BECAUSE

I HAVE
NO
RIGHT
TO...



GOOD. I WILL
REACT YOUR
WISH COME
TRUE.

IN RETURN,
I'LL WANT
YOUR...



IN EXCHANGE
FOR SAVING
YOU.

HE ASKED
ME TO GIVE
HIM MY
MOST IMPORTANT
THING.



~~~~~



THE MOST  
IMPORTANT  
THING



~~~~~

